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Reference: FCC Docket Nos 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170  
and NSD File No. L-00-72.

Dear FCC:

I am writing to complain about the proposed changes to the Universal Service Fund and requesting that the FCC investigate this matter further before changing the current policy. Your proposed \$1.00 per month charge for all wireless phones will directly impact my ability to retain my wireless service.

I do not think it is fair to charge EVERYBODY \$1.00 dollar regardless of how they use their wireless phone, especially for a low-volume user that relies on wireless service for safety and security, not interstate calls. The current policy is fair, based on interstate usage, and should be left alone. Please do not penalize us. Keep this fair.

I am one of those people who only has a cell-phone for emergency use, because I have my 2 children with me, and I drive an older car. I chose the Trac-Fone service, because I found it would provide me with the lowest rate & remain within my budget. If the prices go up, I may not be able to afford the service. Yes, I realize it is only \$1.00/month, but to me, every penny counts. I hope you will take people like me into consideration when you are deciding this matter & DO NOT change the current policy!

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. Please provide a written response indicating the status/resolution of this matter.

Very truly yours,

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CC: FCC Subcommittee Members